

Ranger Walks & Talks Event Calendar

July 3-6, 2015

NPS/USFS Ranger Partnership

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Campground Programs

• Bonito Campground, Friday, July 3

8:00-8:45 pm. **That Stinks! Skunks in Nature.** What should you do if you encounter a skunk in nature? Come to find out more about these animals so you can protect yourself and your pets and learn how to reduce the risk of getting *skunked*. With USFS Ranger Chelsea Schroeder at the campground amphitheater.

• Dairy Springs Campground, Saturday, July 4

3:00-3:45 pm. **Life in the Ponderosas: A Nature Walk.** A fun 45-minute nature walk with USFS Ranger Chelsea Schroeder on the Dairy Springs Loop Trail. No dogs please. Meet at the amphitheater.

• Pine Grove Campground, Saturday, July 4

8:00-8:45 pm. **A Tale about Ringtails.** A gripping tale about Arizona's state mammal. Find out where they live and when they come out! With USFS Ranger Chelsea Schroeder at the campground amphitheater.

• Bonito Campground, Saturday, July 4

8:00-8:45 pm. **Hummingbirds of Arizona.** Learn about the tiniest bird in North America and a personal encounter in nature with a broad-tailed hummingbird. At the campground amphitheater.

• **Dairy Springs Campground**, Sunday, July 5

3:00-3:45 pm. **Seldom Seen.** Join NPS Ranger Robert Wallace for an easy 1/2 mile stroll along the Dairy Springs Loop Trail to uncover mysterious things that are difficult to see or often overlooked. Meet at the amphitheater.

• Pine Grove Campground, Sunday, July 5

8:00-8:45 pm. **The Ways and Whys of the Universe.** Come join NPS Ranger Robert Wallace at the amphitheater for a 45 minute chat and star viewing, and discover the wonders of our universe that have captivated people's curiosities since the Stone Age.

Arizona Snowbowl

• Friday, July 3 through Monday, July 6

10:00 am-4:00 pm.

Enjoy Ranger Talks Atop the Scenic Chairlift Ride every Friday through Monday this summer.

The grandest view in the Southwest at 11,500 feet!

Call 928-779-1951 for further details or visit www.arizonasnowbowl.com.

Ranger Walks, Hikes, & Events

• Friday, July 3

8:30-11:30 am. **Walker Lake Hike.** USFS Interpretive Rangers Steve and Lois Hirst will lead this hike to the rim of a volcano with a marsh in its crater. Spectacular views of the Peaks, the Painted Desert, and the distant Grand Canyon. Difficulty: moderate. Meet at the intersection of FR 151 and Hwy 180, just past milepost 235. No dogs, please. 928-527-8238 for more info.

These informative programs are presented through a partnership between the National Park Service (Flagstaff Area National Monuments) and the United States Forest Service (Flagstaff Ranger District of the Coconino National Forest).

Canceled in the event of rain, lightning, fire, snow, or high winds.